



## NEWS AND VIEWS . . .

### And What Have You

By BOB CRAIG

Football season finally arrives here this week with the local Junior High teams starting the action tonight (Thursday) and the varsity taking on the Rotan Yellowhammers here Friday evening.

Local fans should be in for an exciting season with two of the fastest boys in the area playing for the Pipers. They are Johnny Jones and Bill Cork and it is doubtful if there is a team on the schedule that has anyone that can catch either one of them.

Added to this is a great number of talented individuals both in the line and in the backfield.

The Pipers may get off to a slower start than might be expected from a team with this much talent but this will likely be because they have a new coaching staff with all new plays and new assignments. But as they start getting it all together, we suspect that a lot of teams and sportswriters will begin to take notice of them.

Those of you who are waiting to see the team in action before you buy your season tickets should take note that you can save \$2.50 if you buy your tickets to the home games now.

After watching the team workout and play in two scrimmages we feel sure that you will be safe to go ahead and buy your season tickets now because we do not doubt for a minute but what you will get your moneys worth.

Since we are working under the handicap of a short week because of the Monday Labor Day holiday we are going to fill up the rest of this space with something borrowed from our friend at Andrews again. James Roberts ran the following in his column recently and we thought it worth saving for just such an occasion.

The beginning of school brings up a recurring subject among teachers and parents: discipline.

And Jerry Flemmons of the Fort Worth Star Telegram wrapped up the subject of discipline in a great article the other day.

Jerry said, among other things, that children quite probably should not be struck, except in self-defense and even then, only with moderate severity. Usually adults can beat off a kid with an average size stick.

But the part that we found hilarious, was where Flemmons said: "Once I met a field psychologist who explained his methods, which seem to have worked, because his seven-year-old son was a textbook kid — said 'Yes, sir' and 'No, sir', stood straight and tall, smiled, was quite and polite.

"I try to remember," said the psychologist, "that children, mine included, are human beings.

"I believe in discipline but my

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**OFFENSIVE STARTERS** — Head Coach David Bonds has named the above eleven Pipers as his starting offensive unit when the Pied Pipers host the Rotan Yellowhammers here Friday evening. It will be the season opener for both teams with kickoff set for 8 p.m. Pictured in their offensive lineup are: left to right, David Willis, tight end; Ray Scifres, right tackle; Roy Baker, right guard; Frank Willis, center; Danny Hix, left guard; Steve McKissack, left tackle; Bill Cork, split end; Milton Jones, quarterback; Joe Mayes, right halfback; Albert McAfee, fullback; and Johnny Jones, left halfback.



**DEFENSIVE STARTERS** — These are the eleven Piper defensive starters Head Coach David Bonds is counting on to stop the Rotan Yellowhammers here Friday evening in the season opener. Front row, left to right, they are: Steve McKissack, linebacker; Roy Baker, end; Ray Scifres, tackle;

John Hudson, tackle; Danny Hix, end; and Milton Jones, linebacker. Back row are: Johnny Jones, halfback; Larry Mayes, linebacker; David Willis, safety; Albert McAfee, linebacker; and Bill Cork, halfback.

## Plans for Homecoming Being Made By Officers

Officers of the Hamlin Ex-student Association met Aug. 29 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Weaver to discuss plans for the eighteenth annual Homecoming to be held Oct. 6 and 7.

A cake sale by the Association was planned for Sept. 30 as a money raising event. Green and white pom poms will also be sold at football games and various businesses in town.

Letters are being mailed this week to all ex-students. Proceeds from registrations and other projects go to help sponsor a scholarship to a graduate of Hamlin High School. This year's scholarship was presented to Ester Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Brown. She was active in the band and other high school activities and was an honor graduate. She is attending Abilene Christian College.

Theme for this year will be "Election '72."

The schedule for Homecoming includes a pep rally and bonfire on Thursday, Oct. 5; Chili supper, football game with Coahoma, Friday, Oct. 6; National Honor Society Coffee, parade, noon barbecue and business meeting on Saturday, Oct. 7.

Homecoming headquarters will be at the Hamlin Board of

Community Development office, 251 South Central. The Business and Professional Women will serve coffee Saturday for all exes at the BCD office.

## Golf Tourney Re-set Here For Sunday

The Labor Day Golf Tournament was postponed because of rain, according to Charles Connally, president of Hamlin Country Club, sponsors of the event.

The 18-hole tournament has been rescheduled for Sunday at 1 p.m.

All members are urged to attend a called meeting at 7 p.m. tonight (Thursday) at the Country Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Andress, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Maberry, Rod Smith, Wood Smith, Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Clark attended the 67th annual Maberry Reunion in Rotan Aug. 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur E. White are parents of a boy, Prince Dewayne, 7 lbs. 6 oz., born Sept. 3 at 1:50 a.m.

## Scout Membership Drive Planned Monday Evening

On Monday, Sept. 11, all boys who want to be either a Cub Scout or Boy Scout in Hamlin should bring a parent with them and meet at 7:30 p.m. at the primary school cafeteria.

At this time a school night for Scouting will be held under the direction of Bill Davis, chairman. All boys and their parents are urged to attend.

Boys eligible to join Cub Scouts are those eight years old or in the third grade and have not completed the fifth grade. Young Bill Maddox is the local Cubmaster.

John Hix is the Scoutmaster of the local troop. Boys who can join the Scouts are those who are 11 or have completed the fifth grade.

The school night for Scouting is sponsored by the Boy Scouts of America, Chisholm Trail Council. It is programmed to

## Weekend Rain

Labor Day weekend was marked with over two inches of rain here beginning Friday with .85 inches. Rainfall Saturday was 1.26; Sunday, .01 and Monday, Sept. 4, Labor Day, .10.

The total for the year through Sept. 4 is 15.71, according to Bill Rountree who keeps the official weather bureau records for Hamlin.

## Pipers to Open Season Here With Rotan Friday

Hamlin football fans will finally get that long awaited look at the Pied Pipers under actual game conditions Friday night when the team takes on the Rotan Yellowhammers in Piper Stadium. Kickoff time is 8 p.m.

Coach David Bonds said Tuesday that all of his boys were in good physical shape for this first contest. He told the Booster Club Monday evening that he was well pleased with the progress of the team after the two scrimmages. He added that they still had a few things that they needed to work on but that they should be ready for Rotan Friday night.

Coach Bonds told the local Boosters that he expected Rotan to play one of their better games of the season against the Pipers.

Moving back into Class A this year, the Yellowhammers are rated high in their district and should field a good ball club. The key to the Rotan offense

## Junior High To Play Merkel Here Tonight

The Hamlin Junior High School teams will open the football season for local fans here tonight (Thursday) when they host the two Merkel teams.

The seventh grade will open the play at 5:30 with the eighth grade game to follow.

will be their big Fullback, William Duke. The big 200 pound fullback is rated a good ball carrier who is aggressive and is just a good overall offensive back.

Also rated as outstanding is the Rotan tight end, Earl Pearson, who at 185 pounds, is a good receiver with good overall speed and good hands.

Other probable starters for the Yellowhammers will be Mike Cade, 148 pounds, split end; William Cleveland, 215 pounds, left tackle; Joe Murphy, 175 pounds, left guard; Bub Allen, 160 pounds, center; Jack McCall, 180 pounds, right guard; and Marsh Hill, 180 pounds, right tackle.

In the backfield with Duke will be Bruce Jones, 165 pounds, quarterback; Kenneth Acorn, 148 pounds, tailback; and Neal Summers, 175 pound halfback. Jerry Gentry, 135 pounds, halfback is expected to share time in the backfield with Summers.

Probable starters for the Pipers on offense will be Milton Jones, 188 pound quarterback; Johnny Jones, 160 pound left halfback; Joe Mayes, 140 pound right halfback; and Albert McAfee, 190 pound fullback. In the line will be Bill Cork, 140 pound split end; David Willis,

## Local School Enrollment Up

Enrollment in the Hamlin Public Schools is up some over the first day report, according to Bob Hawes, superintendent, but is still down from last year.

Total enrollment this time last year was 851 and this year the enrollment is 802.

Students in the Primary school are down from 147 to 134, while Elementary is down from 206 to 185. Junior high is up from 210 to 217, but high school is down from 277 to 266.

Enrollment by grades is as follows: kindergarten, 27; first, 47; second, 60; third, 55; fourth, 76; fifth, 54; sixth, 76; seventh, 71; eighth, 70; ninth, 65; tenth, 65; eleventh, 71; and twelfth, 65.

165 pound tight end; Steve McKissack, 190 pound left tackle; Ray Scifres, 205 pound right tackle; Danny Hix, 160 pound left guard; Roy Baker, 145 pound right guard; and Frank Willis, 195 pound center.

Friday will be the final day for local fans to take advantage of saving \$2.50 on the price of season tickets to all of the home games, according to B. V. Newberry, principal. Tickets for the five games can be purchased now for \$7.50, but will be \$2.00 a game if bought at the gate.



JUDGE AUSTIN MC CLOUD  
... PTA speaker

## Judge McCloud To Speak At P-TA Meeting

Judge Austin McCloud, Chief Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, of Eastland will be the guest speaker for the opening meeting of Hamlin Elementary Parent-Teachers Association tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 in the high school cafeteria.

Theme for the meeting will be "We can seek to understand court decisions affecting school laws." Mrs. Milton Carter, president, will preside.

Judge McCloud will be introduced by Mrs. Jack Wicker, second vice president and program chairman.

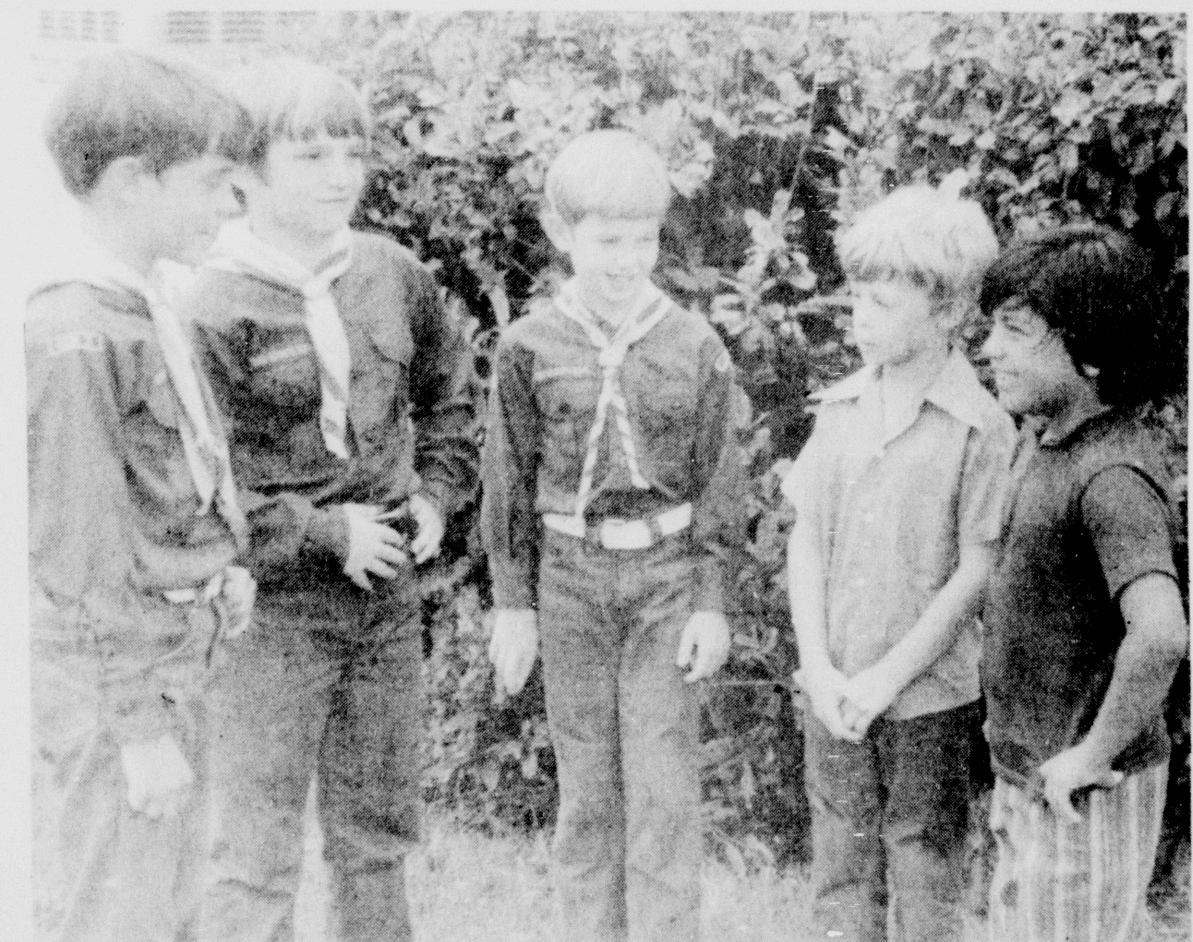
The invocation will be given by the Rev. Howard J. Jones, pastor of First Baptist Church.

Robert Hawes, superintendent of Hamlin Public Schools, will be introduced by W. T. Johnson, school board president.

Mr. Hawes will introduce the principals of all schools and they will present the teachers in their respective schools.

Mrs. James Crowley will give the thought for the month.

A social hour will follow the program. Everyone is invited to attend.



**BOYS INVITED** — Cub Scouts, from left, Mike Davis, Mark Young and Steven Roth invite third graders Steve Austin and Omar Ramon to take part in the Scouting program in Hamlin by attending the meeting for boys and their parents Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the primary cafeteria.



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## Maberry Reunion FHA to Host Select Officers Gathering

Henry Maberry was elected president of the Maberry Reunion at the 67th annual gathering held Aug. 27 in the Community Center in Hamlin.

Officers to serve the reunion are Henry Maberry Jr., first vice president; Bobby George Maberry, second vice president; Mrs. Rudy (Patsy) Maberry, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Doyle Seaton, secretary.

The reunion was set for the fourth Sunday on Aug. 27 in the Rotan Community Center.

D. Seaton presided. Twins Henry Maberry and Mrs. Jim (Patsy) Pope were honored as oldest Maberry descendants.

Traveling the farthest were Mrs. Henry McElyea and children and Mrs. Mary McElyea, all of Ft. Worth, N. Mex.

Youngest descendant was James Neal Jr., two months, of Hamlin.

## HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Judy Kay Willis  
Mrs. Wilbur White  
R. J. Waddle  
Edd Gibson

## Salad Supper Here Monday

The Hamlin Chapter of Future Homemakers of America will meet Monday at 7 p.m. in the high school cafeteria with mothers of members as special guests at a salad supper.

All girls presently enrolled in homemaking courses or those who have taken homemaking previously are invited to attend.

A formal initiation of freshmen will be held.

## Reunion Set

An invitation to attend the annual reunion for descendants of the late John and Jonah Wicker Sunday in the Rotan Community Center has been extended to all friends and relatives.

## Visit In Dallas

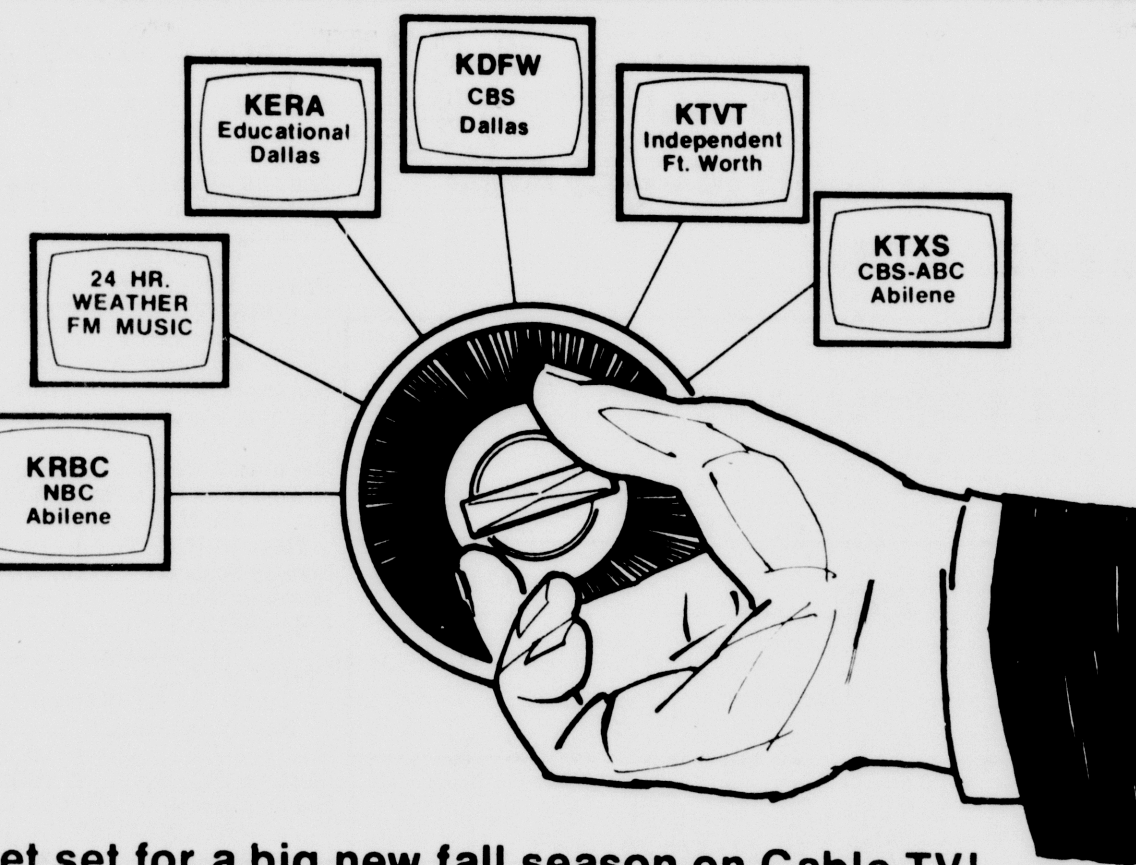
Mrs. Cleo Perryman, Mrs. Clinton Robinson and Mrs. Alvin Jones spent Friday through Monday visiting in the Dallas area. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. Jones in Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Edell Perryman in Irving.

Mrs. Perryman also attended the 447th A.A.A. Bn Reunion held at Royal Coach Motor Hotels Saturday and Sunday.

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## Pritchard, Cooper Vows Exchanged Here Friday

Retha Dean Pritchard and Joe Wayne Cooper were married here Friday at 7 p.m. in the chapel of First Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Pritchard and parents of the bridegroom are Roy Cooper, Rt. 1, and Mrs. Edna Cooper, 221 N. W. Ave. J. Vows were read by the Rev. Marshall Stewart, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene. Mrs. Marvin D. Carlton was pianist. Soloist was Mrs. Roy Thompson.

Mrs. Brit Thompson of Academy was matron of honor. Rhonda Pritchard, sister of the

bride, was bridesmaid.

Brit Thompson of Academy was best man and Billy Cooper, brother of the bridegroom, was groomsmen.

Danna King, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. Ring bearer was Russell Lincoln.

Candle lighters were Deana Pritchard, cousin of the bride, and Donna Whitley of McCaulley, cousin of the bridegroom.

Roy Pritchard, brother of the bride, and Butch Holland of O'Brien, cousin of the bridegroom, seated guests.

The bride was presented in marriage by her father. Her gown of chantilly lace was fashioned with sabrina neckline, long fitted sleeves and full circle skirt which fell from a princess waist which dipped to a bustle effect in the back. The five tier ruffled lace train extended to chapel length. Her short elbow length mantilla trimmed in matching lace fell from a coronet cap of lace. She carried a bouquet of pink and red rosebuds centered with a white orchid on a white Bible.

Attendants wore red satin empire gowns and carried nosegays of red and pink carnations. Their hats were white trimmed in red.

The reception was held in Fellowship Hall.

After a wedding trip to Temple and Academy the couple returned home Monday and are residing at 221 N. W. Ave. J.

The bride attended Hamlin High School.

The bridegroom, a graduate of McCaulley High School, is employed by Cecil Sellers Cattle Company.

The rehearsal dinner was held in the home of the bride's parents.

## Picnic to Open Year for Club

The Hamlin Garden Club will open the year's activities with a picnic in City Park Thursday, Sept. 14, at 11:30 a.m.

Members are to bring a sack lunch. Drinks will be furnished by the hostesses.

## Salad Supper

The Young Homemakers will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12, in the Homemaking Department of Hamlin High School.

A salad supper will be followed by the installation of new officers. Members are asked to bring a salad. New members are welcome.

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Friday 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

NEWS FROM ...

# Old Glory

By Bernice White

After receiving over 2 inches of rain over the weekend, it is raining again this Monday morning. Some of the milo has been harvested but most is still in the fields. Cotton looks great driving down the road, but there are signs of insect infestation when examined more closely.

Labor Day weekend found a lot of dove hunting going on and some strange faces in the community.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Bernice White over the weekend included Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McDonald of Hurst; Eva Mae Nash, Dean Jameson, Joy Trotter, Jimmy Dirks, Don McDonald and Judy White, all of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davis of Abilene were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Flowers Sunday, other guests last week included Mr. and Mrs. J. C. King of San Angelo, Rex Flowers of Stamford, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hudspeth of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jones of Weatherford, Okla., were here recently visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones, Jackie and Kara, and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Claybourne Clarke and son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Lewis of Fort Worth were here recently visiting in the home of his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dugan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Roberts and daughters of Kaufman were here last weekend visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Letz, and her brother and family, the Allen Letzes.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nichter of Fort Worth visited with their aunt Mrs. Minnie Schmidt and Paul. They also visited with Mrs. Lillie Lehrman of Sagerton.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Letz last Sunday were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Letz of Haskell, and a granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Denton of Mesquite.

Other visitors in the Church of Christ here Sunday morning included Mr. and Mrs. John O'neal of Hamlin; also the John L. Garners of Iraan. The

Garners were here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Morris Garner, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sawyers, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Callicoate, Guy and Jill, spent the weekend here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Letz and his parents Mr. and Mrs. Delos Callicoate.

Rev. and Mrs. Jack Key of Abilene were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Pierce Sunday.

Weldon Spitzer, student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Spitzer.

## Bridge Winners

Mrs. Holly Toler and Mrs. L. W. Shivers were first place winners at the Tuesday evening meeting of Hamlin Duplicate Bridge Club.

Mrs. Floyd Briscoe and Mrs. G. W. Comegys were tied with Mrs. Dale Lain and Mrs. Gene Knabel for second.

## Group to Meet

The Jones County Tri-City Retired Teachers Association will meet at 11:30 Saturday, Sept. 16, at the Sirloin Restaurant in Anson.

M. H. Galbreath of Anson will be in charge of the program. E. M. Connell, president, will preside.

Hamlin Elementary Parent-Teachers Association Magazine and Herald Drive Oct. 6-17.

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## SHORT WAVES

BY FRANK SHEARER

To err is human; to blame it on the other party is politics.

The two sneakiest words in the English language are "plus tax."

When you're middle-aged, doing the modern dances is no longer dancing — it's committing suicide one bone at a time.

Personnel man to applicant: "It's the type of job that may give you ulcers, but our hospital insurance covers that nicely."

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'THE LIVING BIBLE'—

# Newest Version of Bible Paraphrases 'The Word'

by James M. Johnston  
Religion Editor  
Milwaukee Sentinel

"About this time Caesar Augustus, the Roman emperor, decreed that a census should be taken throughout the nation. (This census was taken when Quirinius was governor of Syria.)

"Everyone was required to return to his ancestral home for this registration. And because Joseph was a member of the royal line, he had to go to Bethlehem in Judea, King David's ancient home — journeying here from the Galilean village of Nazareth. He took with him Mary, his fiancée who was obviously pregnant by this time.

"And while they were there, the time came for the baby to be born; and she gave birth to her first child, a son. She wrapped him in a blanket and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for him in the village inn."

Perhaps the pastor read this version of the Nativity story (Luke 2:1-6) at your Christmas services last year. It is taken from the most recent version of the 66 Books of the Old and New Testaments called "The Living Bible," which has been in circulation for a little more than nine months.

This Bible is a departure from the numerous other productions. It is a "thought-by-thought" paraphrase, instead of a "word-by-word" translation, by Kenneth N. Taylor, a Wheaton, Ill., Bible Scholar.

The project grew from a proper seed — a child's question.

Taylor, a graduate of Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, would read the Bible regularly at his home to his 10 children.

After a difficult passage, he would usually have to paraphrase it into simple English, with the footnote, "That's what it means."

"Then why doesn't it say so?" a child would ask — many times.

After a few such questions, Taylor himself began to wonder why the language was so difficult, especially since it's the young whom teachers of Christianity are trying to reach.

Then, about 1956, he began to put his rephrasings on paper. By 1962, he had finished all the New Testament Epistles. He tried to get them published.

This, however, was only 10 years after the publication of the Revised Standard Version, which had produced such a storm over certain translations deemed to be "modernist" in their shadings and therefore an undermining influence in "true Christian teaching."

In the forefront of these criticisms during the early 1950s were the conservatives and "evangelical Protestants." They believed that changing any line of the King James Version risked negating the "Word of God," even though the literary masterpiece produced by the scholars in the reign of the first Stuart had been the "Word" only since 1611.

As late as 1962 some evangelical scholars still doubted the wisdom of "tampering." Four publishers turned thumbs down on the project.

"I was crushed," recalled Taylor, who is no modernist. "My whole background is respect for God's Word and belief in its inspiration and authority. My purpose was not to 'tamper' with it, but to convey its real content more accurately and clearly. Only the Lord gave me the courage to go ahead with it."

Like a religious man, he remembered Matthew 17:20, which, in "The Living Bible" is "For if you had faith even as small as a tiny mustard seed, nothing would be impossible."

So, on faith, he had 2,000 copies of his paraphrases produced privately under the title, "Living Letters," when a printer extended him credit. He handled mail orders from a home garage in Wheaton, Ill.

Orders trickled in until, in 1963, his work caught the eye of Billy Graham, who ordered 50,000 copies for distribution.

Taylor did not stop, with such a giant "evangelical" as Graham on his side. He

paraphrased other parts of the Bible and printed them under such titles as "Living Gospels," "Living Prophecies" and "Living Psalms and Proverbs."

The sale volume hit nine million copies. By last September, the entire paraphrasing project was produced in one 1,020 page book titled "The Living Bible." It is in its fourth printing with 2 million copies in circulation. In many big cities it has landed on the best seller list.

During National Bible Week, the annual award of the Layman's Bible Committee went to Taylor for his 16 years of work.

A side epic is the growth of Taylor's home born publishing firm, Tyndale House, Wheaton, of which he is president. Tyndale House now handles 75 other published titles and has a multimillion-dollar sales volume. It has an expanded \$300,000 plant, more than 50 employees and a branch in England named for William Tyndale's colleague in Bible translations, Miles Coverdale.

Taylor channels royalties from the sale of Bibles into a foundation that provides translations into 51 languages.

Said Graham about the completed project: "In this book I have read the age abiding truths of the Scriptures with renewed interest and inspiration, as though coming to me directly from God. "The Living Bible" communicates the message of Christ to our generation. Reading it will give a new understanding of the Scriptures."

Other conservative Protestants have also praised the book, men like Herschel H. Hobbs of Oklahoma City, past president of the Southern Baptist Convention; Robert H. Pierson, president of the Seventh-Day Adventist Church; and Joseph H. Jackson of Chicago, president of the National Baptist Convention, U.S.A.

These testify that the conservatives, after seeing many a Bible translation since the RSV shook them up, seem to have lost their fear of "tampering with the Word."

One of the objections to the

Revised Standard Version was the translation in Isaiah 7:14 as "Behold a young woman shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel." This passage, interpreted as forecasting the birth of Jesus, was offensive to fundamentalists and other conservatives, because it used the words "young woman" instead of "virgin," and thus, they thought, detracted from the divinity of Christ.

In "The Living Bible," the words is "virgin."

Taylor's paraphrased version contains short sentences, short words and "plain talk" that make for fast, sometimes exciting prose. For instance: "Absalom said to his men; 'Wait until Amnon gets drunk, then, at my signal, kill him! Don't be afraid. I'm the one who gives the orders around here and this is a command. Take courage and do it!'" (2 Samuel 13:28)

"Well, look!" Nebuchadnezzar shouted. 'I see four men, unbound, walking around the fire, and they aren't even hurt by the flames! And the fourth looks like a god!'"

"Then Nebuchadnezzar came as close as he could to the open door of the flaming furnace and yelled, 'Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego, servants of the Most High God! Come out! Come Here!' So they stepped out of the fire." Daniel 3:25, 26.

"Don't talk so much. You keep putting your foot in your mouth. Be sensible and turn off the flow! When a good man speaks, he is worth listening to, but the words of fools are a dime a dozen." (Proverbs 10:20, 21.)

"A constant dripping on a rainy day and a cranky woman are much alike! You can no more stop her complaints than you can stop the wind or hold onto anything with oil-slick hands." (Proverbs 27: 16, 16).

Taylor, now 54 years old, was once director of the Moody Press, which is connected with Chicago's Moody Bible Institute. Of the curious Taylor children who started it all, five have finished college, two are now in college, and three are in high school.

## Plenty of ROOM!

Have you ever, when on a vacation, in the peak of the tourist season, looked and looked along the highway for a roadside park with an empty table so that your family could have a picnic lunch and rest? Then, of course, all might travel refreshed. How nice it is to come upon a park like this one, with the breeze blowing across the water.

Isn't it wonderful that there is always plenty of room at the House of God? There is always a church where you can receive spiritual food, and sweet rest of the soul. The church holds out its arms in welcome to all, inviting everyone to come and learn of God. Won't you attend this week?

*"Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." Matthew 11:28.*

Coleman Adv. Ser.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
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Rev. Howard J. Jones  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.  
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Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
**BAPTIST MEXICAN MISSION**  
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Worship Service 10:40 a.m.  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
**NEINDA BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Frank Codington, pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:30 p.m.  
**McCAULEY METHODIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Services 11:00 a.m.  
**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Rev. Marshall Stewart  
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SUNDAY  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
**CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Rev. Patrick Stinson  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
Services 7:30 p.m.  
**FOURSQUARE CHURCH**  
Rev. A. P. Tipton, Pastor  
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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
Prayer, Bible Study 7:30 p.m.  
**OAK GROVE BAPTIST**  
Rev. Leo F. Scott  
Northeast Ave. H.  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.  
B.T.U. 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

**UNITED PENTECOSTAL**  
219 N. E. Ave. B.  
Rev. A. P. P. Tipton, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evangelistic Service 6:30 p.m.

**THURSDAY**  
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.  
**McCAULEY BAPTIST**  
Rev. Vergil Smith, pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
**EAST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Howard Adams, Minister  
Bible Class 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Bible Class 7:30 p.m.  
**SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Milton Jennings  
SUNDAY  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.  
**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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SUNDAY  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
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Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Song, Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
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# Neinda Philosopher Has Praise for Bottles That Dissolve In Sunlight

Editor's note: The Neinda Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Route One goes overboard this week over a new discovery.

Dear editor:

Since it apparently is impossible to keep people from throwing cans and bottles out of their cars, science has just about come up with a solution, according to an item I read in a newspaper somebody threw out of his car near this place yesterday.

A scientist claims he has invented a plastic container which can be scheduled to self-destruct. Exposed to sunlight, it melts into nothingness, but the time of its melting can be regulated over days or months by changing the formula, so you won't suddenly find yourself on a picnic holding nothing but a handful of sodawater.

But beyond solving the litter problem, this idea has far more practical uses.

For example, all television and radio tapes of political speeches should be made of this self-destructing material. Say a man is running for Justice of the Peace on a platform of increased trade with China. It's embarrassing to have his opponent play a recording of his denunciation of all dealings with China when he ran the time before.

Or a judge comes out on the steps of the court house and in the glare of television lights says he's for a thousand dollars for everybody, and three months later says he's not.

Some smart alec for the networks is always going back and digging out these tapes and playing them side by side, and if Congress is on its toes it'll pass a law immediately requiring all such tapes to be made of material that'll melt away. The right formula for the time schedule on this will have to be worked out. Some say a politician shouldn't be held responsible for what he said a year ago, some say three months would be a more realistic figure.

By the way, come to think of it, this new material, if it works, would certainly be ideal for notes you sign at the bank. And there may even be editors who wish some of their last-year's opinions would melt away when exposed to sunlight.

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.

Science and Philosophy

The first man of science was he who looked into a thing, not to learn whether it could furnish him with food, or shelter, or weapons, or tools, or ornaments, or playthings, but who sought to know it for the gratification of knowing; while he that first sought to know in order to be was the first philosopher.

—Samuel Taylor Coleridge

## It Takes Trailer Care To Get You There . . . . And Back Home Again . . . . Safely!

### PART I

Pulling a boat and trailer behind the family automobile can be a pleasure. But only if (1) the trailer is hitched securely to the car; (2) the boat is resting evenly on the runners and the rollers; and (3) the boat is tied down properly to the trailer.

There are numerous types of hitch connections to fit the trailer ball and all seem to work well. If there is a weakness at this point it must be with the installer.

**Double-Check Hitch Ball**

Usually his fault is in failure to double-check. He should make certain that the ball is well seated in the cap, that the grippers are beneath the ball, and that the lock nut is secure . . . screwed down as far as it will go. The nut should be tightened to the point where threads are visible above the nut.

On the snap-down type the clamp should be pushed down until it is horizontal. The safety catch should be inserted to prevent sudden lurching or bouncing of the trailer from snapping open the safety arm.

**Use Proper Length Chain**

For added security a sturdy clamp-on chain should be attached on each side of the hitch from trailer to hitch and long enough only to allow the maximum turning space needed. If the chains are too long they may

catch on ground objects, stumps, etc. over which the trailer rolls, or worse yet whip-snap and break.

**Don't use a hitch that merely clamps onto the bumper. One loose bolt and away goes your boat and trailer. Use a hitch that bolts firmly to the steel frame of the car at several points.**

Also don't try to pull a heavy boat and trailer with a small, light-weight automobile . . . for your car could be flipped over by a sudden gust of wind.

**Steel Cable A Must**

Once the trailer is safely attached to the car, the boat should be tied down tightly on the trailer.

A good winch and a strong cable are essential. Many use quarter-inch or larger nylon rope on the winch. But nylon will rot, and you can't tell it by looking at it.

**We strongly recommend using either 1/8 or 1/4 inch steel cable. Braided 1/8 inch aeroplane type cable is great if you want considerable length. It tends to bind in the winch more than the larger size, but is easier to handle and you can get considerably more cable on the winch . . . in case you need it.**

So use steel cable on your winch and save the nylon rope for tie-downs at the dock, rescue purposes, and anchors.

**Inexpensive Insurance**

If you prefer nylon rope as your winch line, you'll need some insurance. In that case get one eyebolt, four small cable clamps, a three-foot length of 1/8 inch steel cable, plus a tiller cable clamp (or an eye hook). Then . . .

—Affix the eye bolt to the slanting beam that supports the winch pole . . .

—Attach one end of the 1/8 inch steel cable securely to the eye bolt, with two of the four cable clamps . . .

—Then, while the boat is in its proper position on the trailer put the tiller clamp into the bow eye and with the remaining two cable clamps attach this "safety" cable securely to the tiller clamp—allowing just enough slack in the cable to permit easy release of the tiller clamp from the boat . . . and

—Finally, cut off the excess cable.

**Add Finishing Touch**

For a real neat job wrap some water-resistant electrical tape heavily over both ends of the steel cable, including the four cable clamps. This not only keeps the sharp ends of the cable from scratching someone (including yourself) but also prevents unraveling of the cable. Also keeps bolts and nuts from rusting as well as working loose.

This short cable attachment . . . trailer to boat . . . is your insurance in case the nylon winch line breaks.

It will prevent your boat from sliding off the trailer while in transit. But it won't prevent the nylon rope from breaking while winching your boat in from the water.

**Stop Bouncing Boat**

Despite the security of the customary rear-end transom tie downs, there is still the problem of a bouncing boat. So, at about the middle of your boat run a wide, webb belt beneath your trailer, up the sides of your boat and over the gunnels to strap your boat firmly to your trailer.

Many a boat bottom has been damaged and even bowed or punctured because the boat bounced off the runners and came into contact with the metallic ends rather than the soft sides of the rubber roller guides . . . or the rollers were not in proper position to begin with.

**Protecting Transom**

Those extra large rubber rollers on your trailer, directly under the stern of your boat, are not there solely to guide the center of your boat down the middle of your trailer. They are there also to withstand the heavy weight at the stern of the boat. See that the transom rests directly on these rollers.

Lastly, raise your motor, tilt it across the transom and lock it in that position. This is essential if you are to drive through areas where there are high centers, rocks or other objectives that might damage the prop and also the transom.

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Card of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS For loving help and sympathy shown us by so many friends at our time of grief, we would like to express our gratitude. We were indeed comforted by your kindnesses. We wish also to thank Bro. Marshall Stewart, Bro. Howard Jones, Dr. Smith and the entire staff of the Hospital, and all those who helped during our time of need. The family of Mrs. Sam J. King

CARD OF THANKS Thanks to each of our many friends and loved ones who sent cards, letters, flowers, and made telephone calls, while we were in Houston, where Homer had surgery in the V. D. Anderson Hospital. Also thanks to Bro. Marshall Stewart and Theo Johnson for the welcome surprise visit and to our neighbors and friends who brought food when we returned home. Homer and Med Raney

CARD OF THANKS We wish to express our appreciation and gratitude to our many friends who stood by us during our bereavement. We especially thank the First Baptist Church and Rev. Jones, Central Baptist Church and Rev. Grigg, and Rev. Marshall Stewart of the Church of the Nazarene. The family of A. L. (Jake) Buntin

CARD OF THANKS Our hearts are filled with humility and appreciation for our many good friends whose comfort during our recent sadness meant so much to us. We thank each of you from our hearts. Mrs. Cam Owen and Mike

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sharer visited her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Don Wright, Ricky, David and Larry Don in Watauga last weekend.

Eagle's Beak

by Randy Williams Dan Benavides

Last Thursday, the football team traveled 175 miles to Big Lake, Texas and scrimmaged Marathon. The Eagles first team tied the tough Marathon team 2-2. Dan Benavides and Johnny Perales scored the Eagle's touchdowns as their offense never really got it going. The defense however was very good and actually held the Mustangs to only one touchdown. The other touchdown came on a long run that ended at the five-yard line. The coaches weren't at a position to tell if the runner was over or not and a Mustang fan told them that he was over and they counted it. Other players who did real well were Eddie Gibson, who intercepted a pass and made several tackles. Eddie also did a good job on offense at his halfback position. On the defensive line Randy Williams, James Griffin, and James Spalding did a real good job. James Griffin and Randy recovered a fumble each and made several key tackles.

James Spalding and Ronnie Kiser also did a good defensive job. Larry Marshall wasn't left out on defense either as he and Dan let a couple of their best halfbacks have it. The backs had to leave the game in much pain. Johnny Perales, quarterback for the Eagles this year did a good job as he ran against the large Mustangs. The B-team scrimmaged also and played only defense as they ran no plays. They lost 3-0. Alex Perales, Alton Hawthorne, Ronnie Williams, Tommy Moore, and Tony Garcia all put out good efforts to stop the much speedier Marathon B-team. This week the Eagles travel to Blackwell in their first game of the 1972 season. The Eagles hope to open and close the season undefeated as their chance for a district title is good. Although picked seventh in district by area sports writers the Eagles feel they have a better season than this ahead of them.

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Bill Boykin TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Gov. Preston Smith is convincing high state officials and legislators he is serious about calling a special legislative session on insurance reform after mid-September.

Smith himself revived speculation at a news conference last week when he said odds favor such a session sometime before the general election November 7.

The Governor told newsmen legislative leaders had indicated they will cooperate with him. He included Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes among the latter.

"I believe he is giving real serious consideration to calling session," said Barnes. "He really wants to have one." Smith made clear there is nothing definite yet about his plans, and he would still want to make sure a session would be productive before he summons lawmakers.

Establishment of a competitive insurance rate system for all lines of insurance would be his top objective, Smith said. He added he "probably would seek Insurance Board reorganization but added:

"If we established competitive rates, I don't know how much further you would need the Board."

Smith earlier said an opinion by Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin that the governor cannot order funds transferred from one agency to another to meet emergencies may also bring on a special session.

Smith said recent opinions would place "drastic limitations" on the governor's powers and "threaten virtually every authority of the chief executive."

AG OPINIONS — Attorney General Martin, in a new opinion, struck again at the governor's powers over state fiscal matters. He invalidated more than 40 appropriations riders requiring approval by the chief executive (or other officials) on expenditures of funds.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded: A law which abolished the offices of county school superintendent, ex officio county superintendent and the county school board in Caldwell County is unconstitutional.

A corporation which purchases the stock of a bankrupt motor carrier may not be

eligible for legal transfer of the bankrupt firm's specialized motor carrier certificate from the Railroad Commission.

Deduction of the value of a life estate is not authorized in computing inheritance taxes when the life tenant dies within five years after receiving it. Piercing of ears for ear-rings does not constitute practice of medicine and requires no medical license.

The board of Nursing Home Administrators must deposit the initial license fee, which may not exceed \$100 for the biennium, and the renewal license fee into the State Treasury beginning June 15. Elected, state-salaried officials such as judges may also hold nonsalaried jobs as regents of state colleges and universities.

ACT TO BRING STATE \$60 MILLION — Texas would get about \$60 million in new federal money under the Rural Development Act of 1972.

The legislation authorizes more than \$980 million nationwide for physical and economic development of rural America. The program seeks to bring people and business to underpopulated areas and thus ease the congestion in urban centers.

SIGNS OF THE TIMES — Texas Highway Department has joined a nationwide symbol sign program to bring all highway signing into conformance with the so-called international sign program used in many other nations.

Richard Oliver, traffic engineer for the State Highway Department, recently reported to the Governor's Traffic Safety Committee that the more important regulatory signs such as "Yield", "Do Not Enter" and "Wrong Way" are now being installed at critical locations, while other signs are being changed over on a maintenance replacement basis.

He explained target date for full compliance with the National Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices is January, 1977. Full compliance with the National Manual is expected to cost the State of Texas \$6 million for sign installation over the five-year period. Other costs will include \$4.5 million for conversion of highway markings and \$250,000 for installation of traffic signals.

"A folder describing the signs and new pavement markings is in preparation," said Oliver.

A NOTE FROM THE HUNTER — Recent action by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission requires that any portion of the meat from a deer kill given to a fellow hunter must have a note signed by the hunter making the kill with his name, address, hunting license number and the date and location of the kill.

Plant Materials Center At K-City Sets Field Day

A field day will be held Sept. 13 at the Soil Conservation Service plant materials center at Knox City, State Conservationist Edward E. Thomas announced this week. The center serves Texas and Oklahoma.

Livestockmen, seed dealers, sportsmen, and others interested in the search for improved plants are being invited to attend the field day.

Harvey Davis of Temple, executive director of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board, will be the principal speaker.

New grasses, forbs, legumes and other plants under evaluation at the center will be discussed during the day. Some 1200 strains of 325 plants are being grown at the center.

Chief goal of the SCS plant materials work is to find new strains of plants that will solve specific conservation problems. Since livestock and wildlife co-exist on the same land, the search extends to grasses, legumes, forbs and shrubs

which have dual values. Such plants are needed by landowners and operators for including in range seeding mixtures, for use in travel lane seedings, in border plantings or for other uses.

Strains that appear promising at Knox City are then grown and evaluated under field conditions on farms of soil and water conservation district cooperators under a wide variety of conditions. Selections that prove superior to other plants available commercially are then released by conservation districts to seed growers. These producers then grow seed and sell it to the public.

A new grass variety, Mason sandhill lovegrass, was certified and released earlier this year as a result of work done at the center in cooperation with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. Selection 75 kleingrass was released in 1968. Other grass strains proven and put into use by SCS include El Reno, Uvalde, and Vaughn sideoats grama; King Ranch bluestem; green sprangletop; and Grenville switchgrass.

Some of the groups who cooperate with SCS in its plant materials work in Texas include Agricultural Research Service, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Texas A&M University, Texas Tech University, Prairie View A&M, Abilene Christian College, U. S. Air Force, U. S. Corps of Engineers, Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and soil and water conservation districts.

SHORT SNORTS A special meeting of the House Revenue and Taxation Committee is scheduled in Arlington September 15 to talk about how to raise needed state revenue in the legislature next year.

Governor Smith named a nine-member executive committee of the Texas Film Commission headed by Scott Hardy of San Antonio and Bill J. Parsley of Lubbock.

National Guardsmen again aided Highway Patrolmen with traffic problems over Labor Day weekend, emphasizing control of the drinking driver.

Gubernatorial nominee Dolph Briscoe is pushing for total overhaul of the state budgeting system and creation of a Budget Commission.

Lieutenant Governor Barnes is threatening a libel suit against the author of a new book on Texas politics for statements about his personal life.

Republican gubernatorial candidate Henry Grover of Houston is launching a full-scale campaign, and named former National GOP Committeeman Jack Porter his campaign chairman.

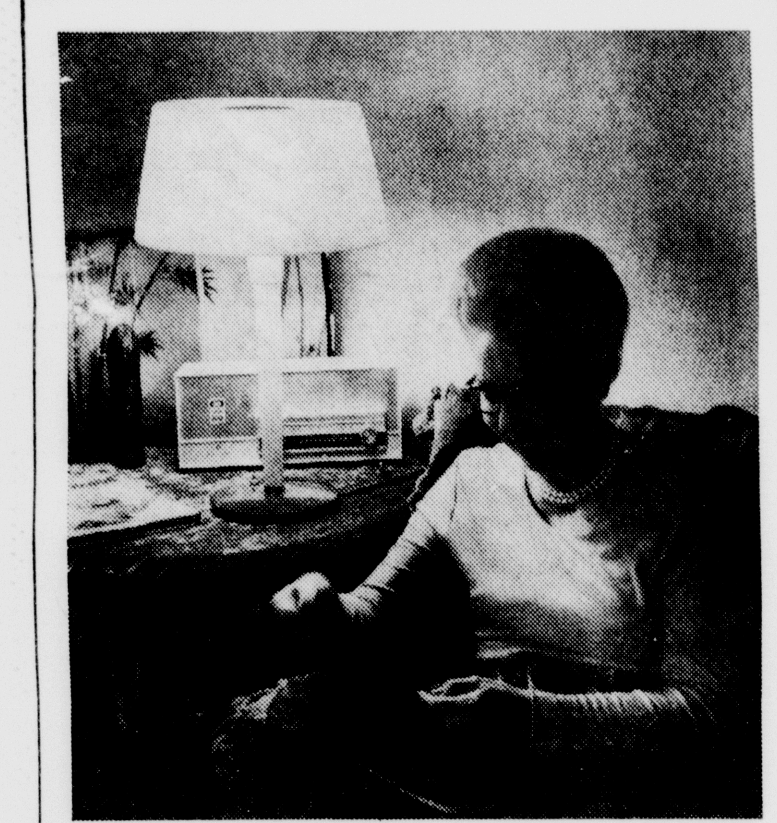
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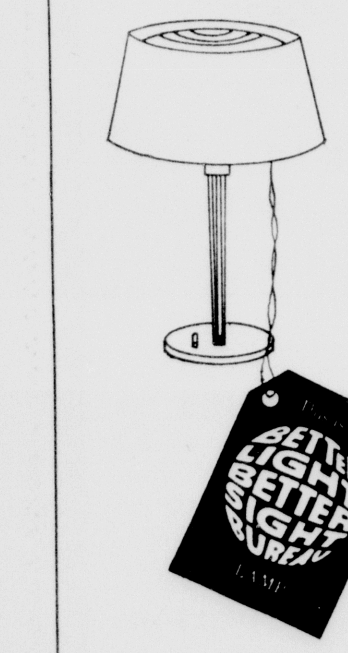
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# Cyclists Need to Know State's New Bike Rules

With more and more people taking up bicycle riding as a hobby and for exercise it has become increasingly important that cyclists learn the state's new bike rules.

The new laws were designed to make bicycling safer and more enjoyable for the biker. Under the new law, cyclists are subject to traffic tickets the same as the car or truck driver.

New Bicycle laws for Texas bikers are:

1. A person riding a bicycle shall not ride other than upon or astride a permanent and regular seat.
2. No bicycle shall be used to carry more persons at one time than the number for which it is designed or equipped. This law outlaws "pumping" unless the passenger sits on a regular passenger carrier seat. It also outlaws riders on handlebars or astride the bar on a boy's bike.
3. No person riding a bicycle shall attach the same or himself to any streetcar or vehicle upon a roadway.
4. Every person riding a bicycle upon a roadway shall ride as near to the right side of the roadway as practicable, exercising due care when passing a standing vehicle or one proceeding in the same direction.

Riding on the left side against traffic, riding in the middle of the street or weaving in the street, are declared illegal by this law. Stunt riding should be saved for home driveways.

5. Persons riding bicycles upon a roadway shall not ride more than two abreast except on paths or parts of roadways set aside for the exclusive use of bicycles.

6. Where a usable path for bicycles has been provided adjacent to a roadway, bicycle riders shall use such paths and shall not use the roadway.

7. No person operating a bicycle shall carry any package, bundle or article which prevents the driver from keeping at least one hand upon the handlebars.

8. Every bicycle in use at nighttime shall be equipped with the following:

— A lamp on the front which shall emit a white light visible at a distance of at least 500 feet to the front.

— A red reflector on the rear of a type approved by the Department of Public Safety which shall be visible from all distances up to 300 feet.

— A red light on the rear visible from a distance of 500 feet in addition to the red reflector.

It is also recommended that night riders wear light-colored clothing that will make the rider more visible to motorists.

9. Every bicycle shall be equipped with a brake which will enable the operator to make the braked wheels skid on dry, level, clean pavement.

The Dept. of Public Safety also recommends these tips for business districts.

1. Stay off sidewalks in business district.
2. Walk your bicycle across dangerous intersections.
3. Do not weave in and out of traffic or ride out from behind parked cars.
4. Move off the street to stop, park or make repairs to your bicycle.
5. Do not ride on streets where there is much traffic.
6. Avoid riding in bad weather.
7. Always obey all signs, signals and traffic laws.

A bicyclist has no protection when involved in an accident with another bicyclist or a motor vehicle. These rules were designed to make biking safer. It pays to learn them and use them each time you start on a bike outing.

**Lubbock Man Charged In Tractor Theft**

The local Police Department working with the Jones County sheriff's office investigated the theft of a tractor from the Raymond Scifres farm late Saturday evening.

The tractor was a 4320 model John Deere, according to Police Chief Ed Wheat, who assisted in the investigation.

Tilton Bogle, 31, of Lubbock was taken to Jones County jail on charges of theft. He was released Sunday on \$750 bond.

Mrs. Robert Fowler is in Houston this week to be with her sister, Mrs. Russell Glenn of Odessa, who is ill. Mrs. Glenn, the former Floradene Riddle, is staying in the home of her daughter, Mary Kay Glenn, in Houston.

The Governor does not have the constitutional authority to transfer funds appropriated by the Legislature to another agency, Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin has ruled.

Season football tickets now on sale at Hamlin High School.

## Lions Club Sets October Date For Broom Sale

Dates for the Annual Lions Club Broom Sale have been announced by A. L. Gamble, club president. The local Lions Club will be selling brooms, mops and other household items made by the Lighthouse for the Blind here Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 2 and 3.

As in the past the truck will be parked next to the F and M National Bank with members of the club handling the street sales. A house to house canvass of the town will be made both evenings. Gamble said that he hoped to have enough Lions taking part in the project to call on every house in Hamlin.

## Services Held Tuesday for Eligio Chanez

Eligio Chanez, 59, a farmer on Route 1, died at 3:55 a.m. Sunday at Hamlin Memorial Hospital. He had been hospitalized one day.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Holy Trinity Catholic Church with the Rev. Patrick Stinson of Stamford officiating. Burial was in Neinda Cemetery under the direction of McCoy Funeral Home.

He was born Nov. 1, 1913, in La Feria, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rafael Chanez. He married Ciprina Nanpro at Brownsville. They moved here from Robstown 12 years ago.

He was a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Ciprina; four sons, Florentine, Francisco, Silnani, and Luciano; six daughters, Mrs. Benigna Villaveva, Mrs. Consuelo Walls of Atlanta, Ga., Mrs. Christina Davila, Herminia, Rosa and Silnia Chanez; four brothers, Candelario Barrera of Robstown, Silvestre Garcia of Blue Mound; Manuel Chanez of Harlingen and Trinidad Chanez of Lorraine; eight sisters, Guadalupe Delgado of Driscoll, Gregorio Longaria, Augustina Delgado and Ysidera Aguidar, all of Robstown, Maria Lrevino of Laredo, Consepion Cantu, Benigma Lopez, and Natdividad Delgado, all of Blue Mound; and 13 grandchildren.

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## NEWS FROM ... Sylvester

by Mrs. R. M. Babb

It is cool and cloudy this Monday morning and we have had 2.50 in. of rain this past week.

The J. P. Maberry family enjoyed a family reunion at Rotan recently with almost all the children attending.

Miss Lula Hassey of Tye visited in the Buford Brown home one evening last week. She is the retired Postmaster of Tye.

We were very sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Roy Kiser's niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan of Pasadena. She was the daughter of Henreitta (Ward) Worthy of Cuero.

Make somebody happy today, mind your own business.

Mrs. Billie Kiser and Mrs. Parnice Douglass enjoyed last Friday visiting in the home of Mrs. Stevenson of Roby and attending a Stanley party.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Maberry and girls spent the holiday weekend visiting in the J. P. Maberry and Richard Kelly homes before returning to Irving.

Mrs. Terry Buck of Midland has been visiting in the Richard Kelly home.

On Labor Day, Sept. 4 1922 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Elliot of Sweetwater Alvie Gann and Ross Boyd were married and on Labor Day, Sept. 4, 1972, they celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary quietly since Mrs. Boyd recently had surgery.

They had eight children, Lilburn of Carlsbad, N. M., Lillian Lorene Wilson of Kermit, Johnny Joe who died in service in 1949, R. A. Boyd of Corpus Christi, Frances Gean Montgomery, of Midland, Raymond Neal and James Earl both of Ft. Worth and Durwood of Corpus Christi.

The Boyds have lived the past few years in the Boyd Chapel Community and attend the Methodist Church in McCaulley.

They are very proud of the 21 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holden, Anne, Recie and Jene Holden of Midland were guests in the J. P. Maberry home Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Brown, Bro. and Mrs. Milton Jennings attended the meeting in Hamlin last Thursday night at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Brown visited in the J. Paul Turner home in Sweetwater Monday afternoon.

## Funeral Services Held Saturday For Mrs. King

Mrs. Mary Josephine King, 86, widow of the Rev. Samuel J. King, a Nazarene minister, died at 9 a.m. Friday after a lengthy illness. She had been hospitalized for seven weeks.

Services were held here at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Church of the Nazarene with the Rev. Marshall Stewart, pastor, and the Rev. Howard Jones, pastor of First Baptist Church officiating.

Burial was at Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of McCoy Funeral Home.

Born Sept. 20, 1886, in New Hope in Jones County, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James L. Bouldin and had lived in the area all of her life.

She married the Rev. King at Anson July 24, 1905. He died Mar. 25, 1966. Since her husband's death she had made her home with a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Barnett, 910 S. W. Second.

Survivors include one son, Spurgeon of Abilene; two daughters, Mrs. Barnett, and Mrs. Clinton Bristow of Lubbock; three brothers, Ira Bouldin of Globe, Ariz., George Bouldin of Stamford and

## Modern-Day Cattle Drive To Benefit Rehab Center

It hasn't been too many years ago that cattle herds thundered across the plains of Texas. Each fall, a modern-day cattle drive winds its way to Abilene, Texas, from every part of the Lone Star State. This particular round-up is unique in that crippled children and adults are benefitted. The 12th annual Cattlemen's Round-up for Crippled Children, a major source of income for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene, has been hailed by the nation's press as "an event unique in concept among humanitarian philanthropies."

Since its inception in the fall of 1960, the annual Round-Up has raised in excess of a million dollars to enable the West Texas Rehabilitation Center to carry on one of the most extensive diagnostic and rehabilitative programs in the world.

Since it first opened its doors to the handicapped August 15, 1953, the Center, a private, non-profit institution, has extended a helping hand to almost 20,000 handicapped persons regardless of race, creed, color, geographical residence, or ability to pay.

Hollywood personality, Rex Allen, one of the Center's long-time friends, describes it as "a symbol of the America that I know and love."

Traditionally, the West Texas Rehabilitation Center has depended upon the support of a grass roots cross section of the people of the southwest.

The West Texas Rehabilitation Center stands as a tribute to the compassion of

Charlie Bouldin of Moran; one sister, Mrs. James Otis (Annie) Tabor of Globe, Ariz.; five grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Charlie Carter, Billy Cooper, Gerald Barnett, Weldon Cook, Audrey Hodnett and Otis Tabor of Globe, Ariz.

the southwester, and tells the world that the spirit of the "barn-raising" of yesteryear is very much alive today.

The sale of cattle is set for September 25, with the sale of horses, sheep, and goats scheduled for early October. Anyone wishing to donate livestock may contact the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, 4601 Hartford, Abilene, Texas, 79605, or call (915) 692-1633. All livestock will be picked up and transported free of charge.

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